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Mr. Scott Feldmeyer Action News P.O. Box 402 Milwaukee, Wisconsin 53201

Dear Mr. Feldmeyer:

Thank you for your letter of 25 May 1984 to Mr. Casey, for whom I am responding.

As discussed in our telephone conversation of 1 June, CIA is unable to respond to most of the questions you asked in your letter. Any discussion by us of the substance of the Rewald matter at this time could influence the outcome of on-going litigation of which the Agency is a part.

In response to your question #4, however, please find enclosed a copy of an affidavit by CIA counsel filed in U.S. District Court on STAT 20 September 1983 for the District of Hawaii. Also find enclosed the order of the court that sealed certain related documents at CIA's request. I hope this information will be helpful to you.

Charles E. Wilson
Deputy Director

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Mr. William Casey
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Dear Mr. Casey,

With all due respect, I am submitting these questions in writing for a response from you and your agency. There is a lot of interest in this story nationally and locally, and it is my assignment to follow it. I would appreciate as many responses as possible to the enumerated questions.

Regarding the firm of Bishop, Baldwin, Rewald, Dillingham and Wong, and Ronald Rewald himself:

- 1) What was the CIA's association with this company, if any?
  i.e. mail drop, a source of economic analysis of foreign nations.
- 2) Was Ronald Raymond Rewald in any capacity affiliated with the CIA at any time, and if so, in what capacity?
- 3) Why has the federal government moved to ask Federal Judge Martin Pence in Hawaii to seal documents before his court?
- 4) It is my understanding that you have filed an affidavit with the federal court in Hawaii in case 56-84 C, Ronald Ray Rewald et al vs. United States of America. May I have a copy of the affidavit or a summary of its contents. If not, please explain the reason.
- "all persons applying for employment with the Central Intelligence Agency," and is such form readily available upon request of the agency? If such form is signed by an individual, does the agency immediately take the form into its custody, or is the signor allowed to keep the form or a duplicate copy of the form?

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6) What affiliation, if any, does or did David J. Baldwin of Milwaukee, owner of the Safe House bar and restaurant spy bar (Social Security ) have with the CIA?

7) Any other comments you might have on these questions or related matters.

Thank you for your expedient response to these inquiries.

Sincerely,

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Scott Feldmeyer

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